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Letter dated 25 March 1996 from the Permanent Representative of Turkey to the United Nations Office at Geneva addressed to the Chairman of the Commission on Human Rights

In paragraph 23 of the report of Mr. Maurice Glélé-Ahanhanzo, Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance of the Commission on Human Rights (E/CN.4/1996/72), it is stated that the Turkish nationality law does not allow dual nationality.

This statement constitutes a factual error, since the Turkish Nationality Law in force does in fact allow dual nationality to Turkish citizens.

I, therefore, felt it necessary to have this error corrected.

I should be grateful to you if this letter is circulated as an official document of the current session of the Commission on Human Rights, under item 12 of the agenda.

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